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02-106720US)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Juha Punnonen et al.

Application No.: 09/888,324

Filed: June 22, 2001

For: **NOVEL CO-STIMULATORY**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please enter this preliminary amendment and consider the following amendments and remarks with regard to the abovereferenced application. The following documents are enclosed herewith:

- 1) A marked up copy of the claims (which also constitutes a copy of all pending claims);
- 2) A transmittal sheet;

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- 3) A Request for Change of Correspondence Address; and **TECH CENTER 1600/2900**
- 4) A Request for Change of Residence Address of Inventor.

Please amend the specification and figures as follows. A marked up copy of the figures is enclosed herewith.

In the Specification.

Please amend the specification as follows:

On the cover page, line 1, please delete "Attorney Docket No.: 02-106720US" and insert therefor -- Attorney Docket No.: 0169.310US--.

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